



# Northwest Christian Academy

*Christian Education for World Change*

Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, DC 20554

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| In the Matter of                        | ) |                    |
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| Petition for Waiver of                  | ) |                    |
| FCC Form 471 Filing Deadline            | ) |                    |
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| Northwest Christian Academy             | ) | CC Docket No. 02-6 |
| BEN 36948                               | ) |                    |
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| Schools and Libraries Universal Service | ) |                    |
| Support Mechanism                       | ) |                    |

**Petition for Waiver of  
FCC Form 471 Filing Deadline for Funding Year 2018  
RE: FCC Form 471 BEN #36948**

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## **I. INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY**

Northwest Christian Academy serves low income pre-kindergarten through Grade 12 children in Miami, Florida. Since 2015, Northwest Christian Academy has been a very small but successful participant of the E-Rate program.

Northwest Christian Academy submitted and certified their Funding Year 2018 FCC Form 471, 181042169, in the "Apply Online" portal of the Schools and Libraries Division ("SLD") of the



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Universal Service Administrative Company's ("USAC") website, on April 2, just 12 days after the FCC Form 471 filing deadline of 2018.

A staff member of Northwest Christian Academy works E-Rate into his already busy work schedule and is the sole staff member performing E-Rate duties. The staff member just purchased a new home for his family and had been working on the new home which took his attention away from completing the E-Rate forms for the 2018 school year.

## II. Request

Northwest Christian Academy respectfully petitions the Commission to request a waiver of the Funding Year 2018 FCC Form 471 filing deadline on behalf of Northwest Christian Academy to allow the Out of Window submission of their E-Rate Funding Year 2018 FCC Form 471 181042169, due to the above situation and circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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